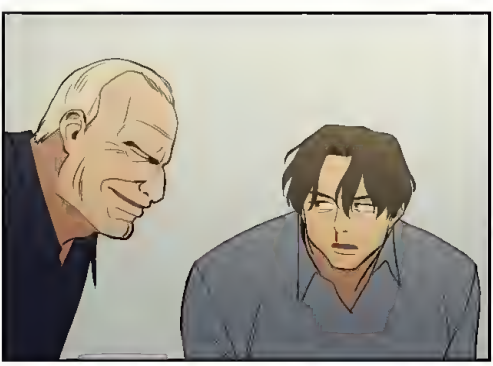
YOU DON'T HAVE THAT MUCH TIME TO IDLE AROUND.

HURRY AND GET UP MY FRIEND.

THE GAME HAS ALREADY BEGUN.



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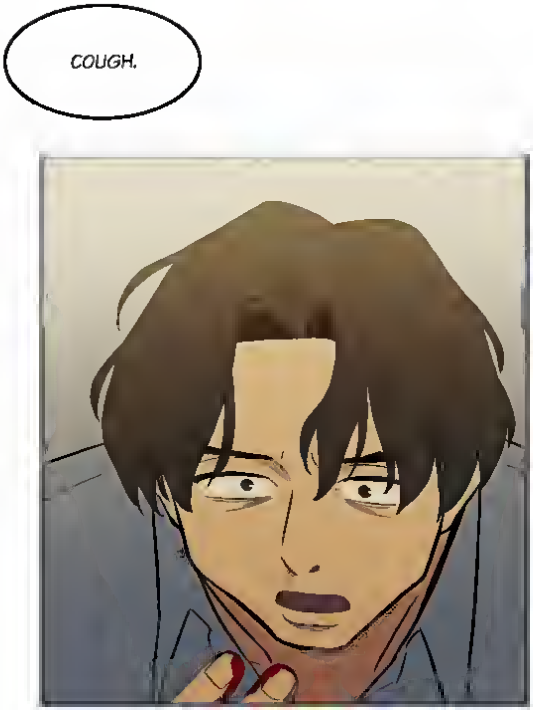

COUGH, COUGH!

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WAIT...

WAIT A SEC...
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UGH!

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EACH AND EVERY MOVE IN CHESS IS LIKE A ARTWORK OF ITS OWN.

THAT'S WHY I'M EXPECTING MUCH FROM THIS GAME.

I WONDER HOW A CHESS WITH SOMEONE'S LIFE ON THE LINE IS GOING TO LOOK LIKE?

"MOVE THE PAWN"

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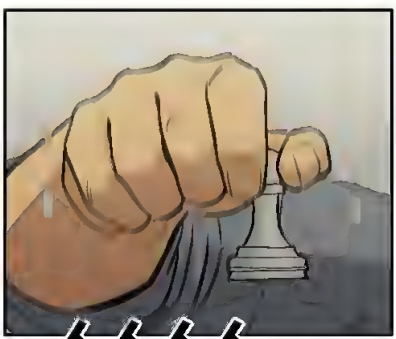

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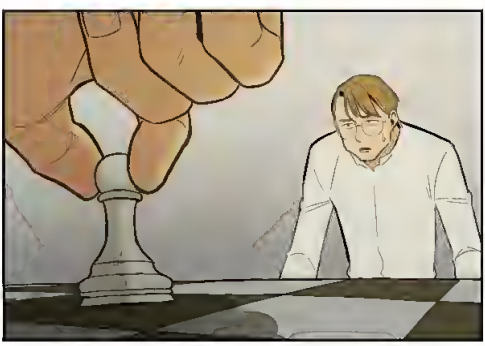

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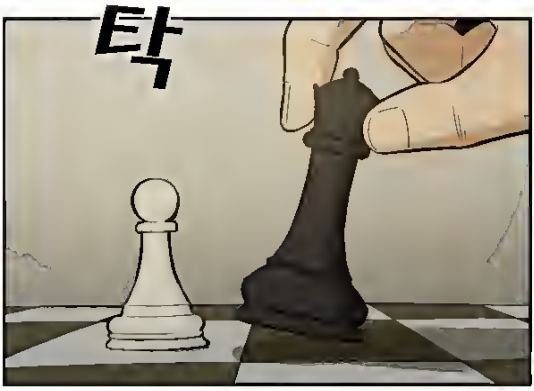

CHECKMATE.

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DAMN IT...

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QUEEN D3

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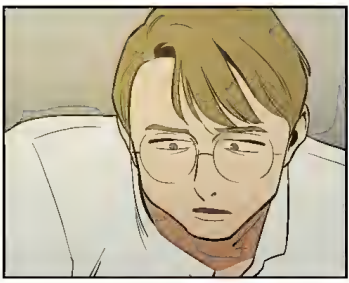

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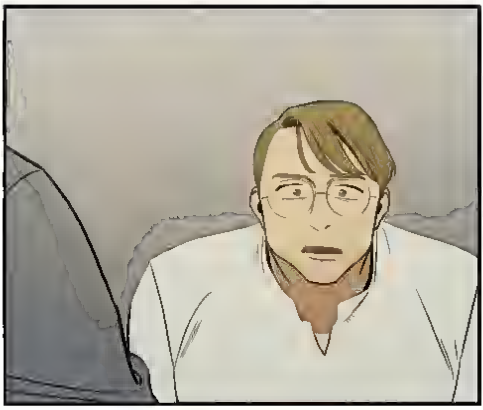
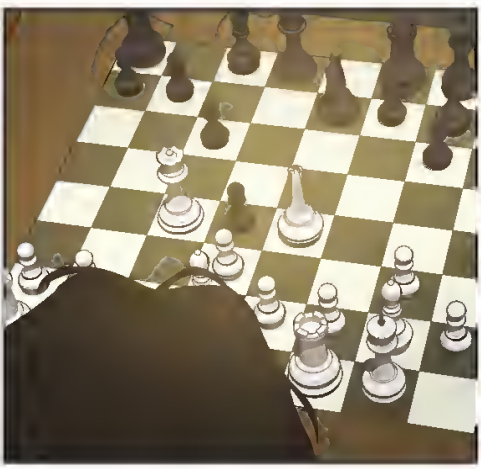


I CAN'T WIN AGAINST HIM.

I ALREADY TURNED THE TIME BACK MORE THAN 10 TIMES, BUT I'M NOT BECOMING ADVANTAGEOUS AT ALL.

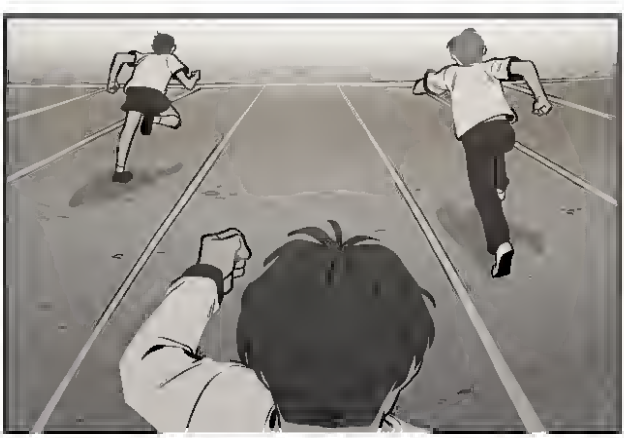
IT'S NOT LIKE THE PLAY IS SET IN STONE, IF I GO BACK IN TIME AND CHANGE MY STRATEGY, HIS STRATEGY CHANGES ALONG WITH MINE.



NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I GO BACK IT WON'T MATTER.

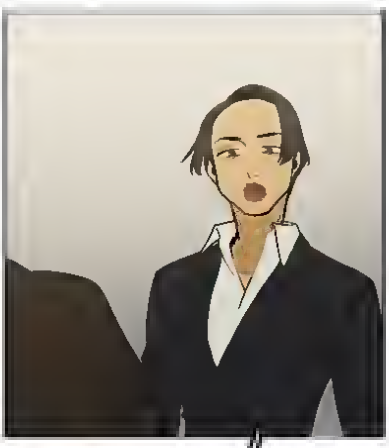
IN A GAME OF CHESS, EVERYTHING IS DONE BY A "FAIR RULE".

MY ABILITY DOESN'T WORK NO MATTER WHAT WITHIN A "FAIR RULE"



CAN'T WE CHANGE THE GAME?

AT LEAST POKER, OR A CARD GAME OR SOMETHING ALIKE.



THE BOSS WANTS TO SEE CHESS, UNTIL THIS GAME ENDS WE CANNOT CHANGE IT.

THEN WHAT ABOUT THE ANTIDOTE, DOES IT REALLY EXIST?!

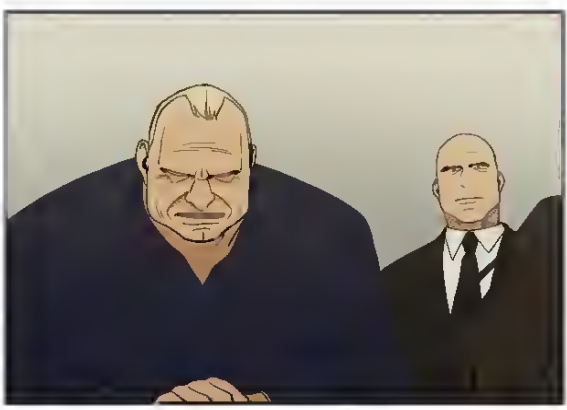
AREN'T YOU JUST USING US TO HAVE FUN BEFORE YOU KILL US OFF!?

...YOU'RE.

SCARED AREN'T YOU?

THE MOMENT A HUMAN FINDS OUT THEY CAN'T WIN, THEY PUT THEIR TAIL DOWN AND BLURT OUT LIKE THAT.

WHEN THAT KIND OF DOGS COMES OUT, THE GAME BECOMES BORING AND THE SPECTATORS LOSES THEIR INTEREST.



IT SEEMS THAT I AM BECOMING A BIT BORED.

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UWA, UWAAKK!!

A SCARED DOG NEEDS TO BE BEATEN AND PUSHED BACK INTO THE FIGHT.

WAIT, LET'S JUST TALK! LIKE HUMANS!!

UWAAKKK!!

I'M JUST TEACHING THEM THAT THERE'S NO OTHER CHOICE BUT TO FIGHT.

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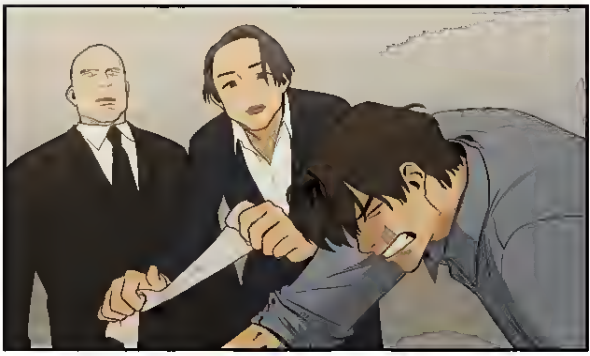

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LET'S START THE GAME AGAIN.

KUGH...

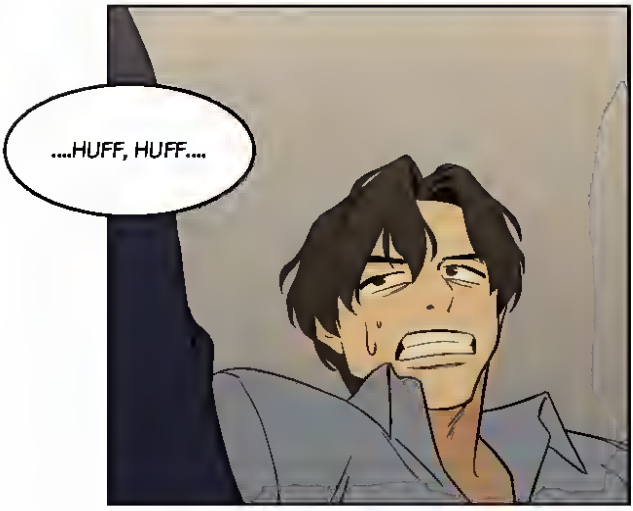
THE CONDITION IS THE SAME. IF YOU MANAGE TO WIN EVEN ONCE, I'LL LET YOU GO.

IF YOU DAWDLE AROUND AGAIN, I'LL HAVE YOU GIVE ME ONE MORE OF YOUR FINGERS.

NOW THEN, HURRY AND PLAY. DIMITRI IS WAITING FOR YOU.

THE TREASURE OF RUSSIA IS WAITING TO FIGHT YOU.

WHICH FINGER WILL YOU STAKE THIS TIME, YOUR POINTER FINGER? OR YOUR INDEX FINGER?



GOD DAMN IT...

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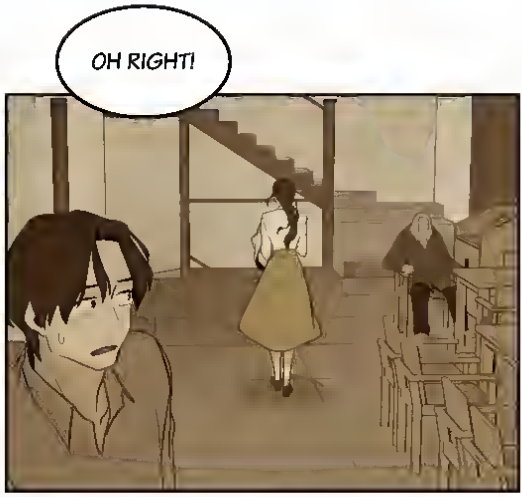
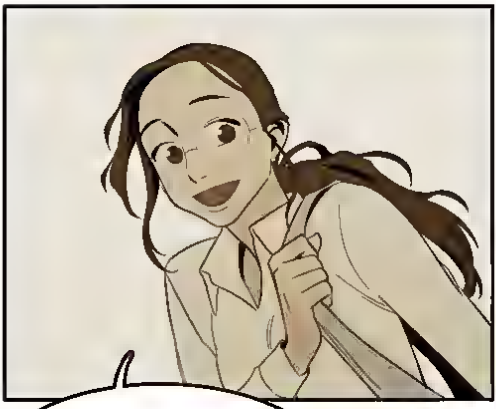
I HAVE NO CHOICE.

THERE'S NO WAY FOR ME TO SURVIVE THIS.





WHY IS THAT COMING TO MY MIND NOW?

DAMN IT, IF IT WAS MS YUJU. SHE WOULD'VE FOUND A WAY OUT OF THIS ALREADY.

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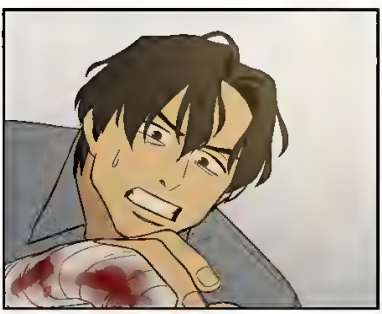
...AN ABSOLUTELY OUTRAGEOUS IDEA CAME TO MY MIND.

A MESSED UP, DUMB PLAN AT BEST.



IF MS YUJU HEARD, SHE'D CALL ME AN INSANE IDIOT.

BUT... I DON'T THINK I HAVE ANY OTHER WAYS RIGHT NOW.

IF THIS METHOD WORKS, HE'LL AT LEAST KEEP ME ALIVE...

LET HIM LIVE WHY DON'T YOU.

ARE YOU GIVING UP BECAUSE YOU DON'T HAVE A CHANCE OF WINNING?

YOU'LL THINK COMPLETELY DIFFERENTLY ONCE THE POISON SPREADS YOU KNOW?

YOU SHOULD LET ME LIVE WHILE AT IT.

...IT SEEMS THAT YOU HAVEN'T GOTTEN IT THROUGH YOUR HEAD YET.

BUST ONE MORE OF HIS FINGERS.

IT'LL BE BETTER FOR YOU TO KEEP THE BOTH OF US ALIVE!!

WHY DO YOU THINK THAT I WAS ABLE TO WIN SO MANY TIMES WITHOUT USING ANY TRICKS?

WHAT IS IT THAT YOU WANT TO SAY?

I'M A PSYCHIC.